

**In the United States District Court  
For the Southern District of Georgia  
Brunswick Division**

EDUARDO PEREZ,

Plaintiff,

v.

HARRELL WATTS, et al.,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO.: 2:15-cv-76

**ORDER**

Presently before the Court is Plaintiff's Motion for Reconsideration of the Court's Order dated May 10, 2016. Dkt. No. 36. In that Order, the Court denied, in relevant part, Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction. Dkt. No. 33. Defendants filed a Response opposing Plaintiff's Motion. Dkt. No. 37. For the reasons set forth below, the Court **DENIES** Plaintiff's Motion for Reconsideration.

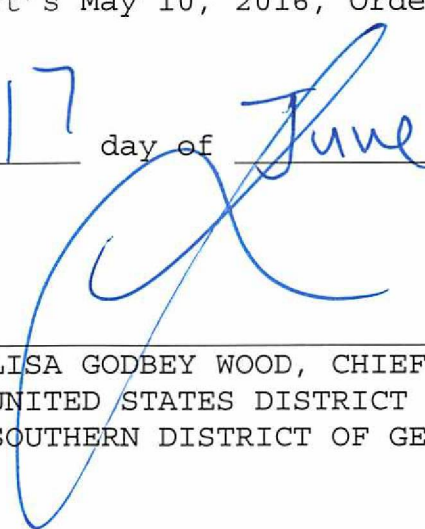
The decision to grant a motion for reconsideration is committed to the sound discretion of the district court. Fla. Ass'n of Rehab. Facilities, Inc. v. State of Fla. Dep't of Health and Rehab. Servs., 225 F.3d 1208, 1216 (11th Cir. 2000). Motions for reconsideration are to be filed only when

"absolutely necessary" where there is: (1) newly discovered evidence; (2) an intervening development or change in controlling law; or (3) a need to correct a clear error of law or fact. Bryan v. Murphy, 246 F. Supp. 2d 1256, 1258-59 (N.D. Ga. 2003). "An error is not 'clear and obvious' if the legal issues are 'at least arguable.'" United States v. Battle, 272 F. Supp. 2d 1354, 1358 (N.D. Ga. 2003) (quoting Am. Home Assurance Co. v. Glenn Estess & Assoc., Inc., 763 F.2d 1237, 1239 (11th Cir. 1985)). Motions for reconsideration are not appropriate to present the Court with arguments already heard and dismissed, to repackage familiar arguments, or to show the Court how it "could have done it better" the first time. Pres. Endangered Areas of Cobb's History, Inc. v. United States Army Corps of Eng'rs., 916 F. Supp. 1557, 1560 (N.D. Ga. 1995), *aff'd* 97 F.3d 1242 (11th Cir. 1996).

Plaintiff's Motion for Reconsideration offers nothing that compels the Court to reconsider its previous ruling. In particular, Plaintiff largely repeats the arguments he raised in his original request. The Court considered and rejected these arguments when issuing its May 10, 2016 Order. Dkt. No. 33,

pp. 7-9. Accordingly, the Court **DENIES** Plaintiff's Motion for Reconsideration. The Court's May 10, 2016, Order remains the Order of the Court.

SO ORDERED, this 17 day of June, 2016.

  
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LISA GODBEY WOOD, CHIEF JUDGE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA